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Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/1996/15 of 11 January 1996, S/1996/15/Add.4 of 9 February 1996, S/1996/15/Add.8 of 8 March 1996, S/1996/15/Add.14 of 19 April 1996, S/1996/15/Add.18 of 17 May 1996 and S/1996/15/Add.32 of 23 August 1996.

During the week ending 31 August 1996, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Burundi (see S/25070/Add.43, S/25070/Add.46, S/1994/20/Add.29, S/1994/20/Add.33, S/1994/20/Add.41, S/1994/20/Add.50, S/1995/40/Add.4, S/1995/40/Add.9, S/1995/40/Add.12, S/1995/40/Add.34, S/1996/15, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.9, S/1996/15/Add.16, S/1996/15/Add.19, S/1996/15/Add.29 and S/1996/15/Add.30)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3692nd meeting, held on 28 August 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Burundi (S/1996/660).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Australia, Belgium, Burundi, Canada, Ethiopia, Ireland, Japan, South Africa, Uganda and the United Republic of Tanzania, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The Security Council continued its consideration of the item at its 3695th meeting, held on 30 August 1996.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/708), which had been submitted by Botswana, Chile, Egypt, Germany,

Guinea-Bissau, Honduras, Indonesia, the Republic of Korea, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/708, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1072 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1072 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

Demining in the context of United Nations peacekeeping (see S/1996/15/Add.32)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3693rd meeting, held on 30 August 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1996/37; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).

The situation in Liberia (see S/22110/Add.3 and Corr.1, S/23370/Add.18, S/23370/Add.46, S/25070/Add.12, S/25070/Add.23, S/25070/Add.32, S/25070/Add.38, S/1994/20/Add.15, S/1994/20/Add.20, S/1994/20/Add.27, S/1994/20/Add.36, S/1994/20/Add.41, S/1995/40/Add.1, S/1995/40/Add.14, S/1995/40/Add.25, S/1995/40/Add.36, S/1995/40/Add.44, S/1996/15/Add.3, S/1996/15/Add.4, S/1996/15/Add.14, S/1996/15/Add.18 and S/1996/15/Add.21)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3694th meeting, held on 30 August 1996, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the eighteenth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia (S/1996/684).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Liberia and Nigeria, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1996/701), which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1996/701, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1071 (1996) (for the text, see S/RES/1071 (1996); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-first Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1996).